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For Hillsboro at 6 15 A M and 4 P M
For Gervais at 6 15 A M
For Brownsville at 6 15 A M
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By Overland Telegraph.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

EASTERN STATES

Summaries Advice Injected

Fire August 8 at an early hour this morning destroyed the extensive commission and storage warehouses of Charles Sumner & Co, Horace Rice & Co, and others, now working up the cases It is alleged that suspicion points to the crew of the United States steamer engaged in coast survey

Republican Jubilations

New York August 8—Buffalo, Syracuse New Haven Hartford and Norwich are all ringing the bells of the New York and many other cities

Henry L Dawes spoke to an immense audience in the main hall of Tweed Court building this evening for an hour

Secretary Boutwell and Senator Morton addressed a meeting of the Republicans of North Carolina at Greensboro this evening

Distinguished Tourists

SARATOGA August 8—The President and Mrs Grant with their two sons accompanied by Governor Dingham and General Porter will arrive on the noon train to-morrow for Lake George

LAKE GEORGE August 8—Grant arrived at 3 30 A salute of 6 guns was fired

CONCORD (N H) August 8—Horace Greeley arrived here at 1 o'clock He was received at the depot by the Mayor of the city A committee and delegation escorted him to the State House where a short reception was held M W Tappan made a welcoming speech Greeley briefly replied and was then escorted to the Phoenix Hotel where he dined and afterwards held a reception He proceeded to Brentwood this afternoon where he will remain over night

Railroad Disaster

BALTIMORE August 8—Two cars were thrown from from the track of the Western Maryland Railroad near Fredericksburg yesterday by the springing of a rail Fourteen persons were more or less injured The particulars are still wanting

Wild Bull Loose in Brooklyn

NEW YORK, August 8—A mad bull in Brooklyn to-day, injured several persons and was finally shot A stray ball fired at the animal struck E S Chappel in the back, inflicting a probably fatal wound

Miscellaneous Eastern News

HARTFORD August 8—A dwelling house at Meriden was burned on Wednesday night Rely an old man went in to the house to rescue some property and burned to death

BOSTON August 8—The insurance on the Continental Sugar Refinery burned last night was $400,000 It is believed the loss will not exceed a quarter of a million

The French band gives a farewell concert to night at the Boston Theater

ST LOUIS August 8—At Caruthersville Missouri last night a number of roughs assaulted Captain John Stevens and kicked and beat him to death

NEW YORK August 8—John Thompson who while burglariously Charles H Phelps jewelry establishment in May last shot Phelps in the breast was to day convicted of burglary in the first degree and sentenced to the Penitentiary for 20 years at hard labor

WASHINGTON CITY

WASHINGTON August 8—The Republicans this forenoon fired a salute of 200 guns in honor of the North Carolina election

WASHINGTON, August 8—John Delano telegraphs from Ohio that his father is better

BY ATLANTIC CABLE

From Geneva.

GENEVA August 8—The Board of Arbitration held a two and a half hours session to-day, and adjourned to Wednesday next

Cattle Plague in Europe

BRUSSELS August 8—Owing to the prevalence of rinderpest in Germany and Russia the Belgian Government has prohibited the importation of cattle from those countries

Disastrous Fire in Turkey

CONSTANTINOPLE August 8—Consacrondjouk a village on the Asiatic bank of the Bosphorus inhabited by poor Jews and Greeks has been destroyed by fire Upwards of a thousand families are destitute and homeless

MEXICO

Funeral of Juarez

CITY OF MEXICO August 1—The funeral of Juarez was an imposing spectacle. The corpse was interred in the Pantheon The streets and houses were draped in mourning and the procession bore numberless emblems of grief Fully 70 000 spectators lined the streets through which it passed Nearly all the foreigners in the Capital were present at the ceremonies as well as all public officers and Foreign Diplomats Addresses were made by Minister Nelson on behalf of the Diplomatic corps and Senor Vigil for the editorial fraternity of Mexico The death of Juarez is generally regretted

Minister Nelson American Minister starts for the United States September 1st on a short leave of absence

Some demonstrations occurred at Tampico on the reception of the news of the death of Juarez in favor of Diaz against Tejeda

Congress meets for extra session on September 15th Various names are mentioned in connection with a new Cabinet but nothing definite is known

Tejeda and late for election to the Presidency and the names of several competitors are mentioned

Lerdo Banco is voluntary assistant in the investigation of outrages committed on American citizens at Achapas The journals report that Lerdo will recall Marisical from Washington

It is believed that the Revolutionists will disband when informed of the policy of the Administration

Lerdo has commuted the sentence of death pronounced on Diaz ap Cevantes to ten years imprisonment

Angel Iturbide son of the ex Emperor died at the Capital on the same day as Juarez

It is reported that Diaz has decided to go to San Francisco in consequence of receiving no aid from the people of Tepec

CALIFORNIA

From San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO August 9—The ship Hila A from New York reports rocking a wreck April 5th supposed to be the schooner Silver Bell of New York

Edward G Hodgkins of Vallejo has commenced suit against the California Pacific railroad for $20 000 dymages for injury to his son a minor received while passing from car to car while the train was in motion

The subscribers to the Atlantic and Pacific railroad stock now number 1 321 and the subscriptions aggregate $7 10 000

Gould & Curry has levied an assessment of $1 per share

District Attorney Murphy is doing his utmost to compel the defence in the Fair case to be ready for trial on the first Monday in September Dr Lyford the medical counsel for the defense who kept out of the way when the case was set for trial which compelled postponement of the trial was arrested on a bench warrant yesterday on motion of the District Attorney and required to give security for his appearance at the coming trial

GENERAL NOTES AND NEWS

The Michigan Central Railroad Company earned more than their two hundred thousand passengers last year and killed nobody

A railroad in the valley of the Nile is contemplated so the ghosts of the Pharoahs may soon be startled by the scream of the locomotive

Michel Emilbert the French organist who officiated at the coronation of the first Napoleon has just died at the age of ninety two years

The records of the American and British Commission organized under the treaty of Washington will be removed to Newport, R I early in September so as to be ready for the session of the Commission on the 11th of that month The time for filing the claims terminated on the 28th of June

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

[SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN]

EASTERN STATES

New York News

NEW YORK August 9—A number of heavy rebel commission Greenwich Stamford and Norfolk Conn and places on Long Island Sound Detectives are now working up the case It is alleged that suspicion points to the crew of the United States steamer engaged in coast survey

The arrival of German immigrants here last month amounted to 11 321 an increase of 2 661 over July 1871 Total since January 1st 58 387 increase 6 859 over the same period last year

Political News

CHICAGO August 9—The Republicans in a number of towns and cities in the West celebrated the victory in North Carolina by firing salutes

The Democrats of Michigan have issued a call for a convention to appoint delegates to Louisville and indicate one at present are that the Convention will be fully attended

Racing at Long Branch

LONG BRANCH August 9 The 1 mile race was won by Susan Ann in 1 Littleton came out 2d and Milesian 3d The start was effected at the first attempt the horses getting away in a bunch Littleton leading on passing the stand At the second mile Susan Ann was in the lead closely attended by Littleton and Milesian King Fisher broke down at the two mile and a half post The race was very close for the remainder of the distance between the other three and the finish very exciting

Miscellaneous News

NEW YORK August 9—J W Forney is announced to leave for the Pacific coast to be absent two months

The political discuss announced for to night was a failure One of the parties wanted more time to prepare and the other would not consent

Thirty cases of sun stroke occurred yesterday One was fatal

A Washington dispatch says there will be no more resignations of the new loan until after the Presidential election

The Board of Aldermen passed a resolution yesterday requesting the Park Commissioners to furnish sacred music in the Central Park on Monday

James Watson Webb now in Europe has written a letter opposing the re election of Grant

An Augusta (Maine) dispatch says Secretary Boutwell and Secretary Blaine made speeche at a Republican meeting last night The address of the former was in defense of President Grant's Administration which he declared has been of benefit to the business community It has prevented financial convulsions and encouraged enterprises everywhere He eulogized the character of the President of whom the speaker said he had nothing to ask as he was ready to surrender his position any moment it was wanted He took up the Cincinnati platform and demonstrated by his arguments that it proposed to turn the South over to men who do not respect human rights Grant's whole course has been to reconcile the North and South, but at the same time to protect loyal men black and white

At a meeting yesterday, the German saloon keepers appointed a committee to wait on the Excise Commissioners to have lager beer excepted from the operations of the Sunday law Organizations are to be formed throughout the city for this purpose

At Jersey City the Police Commissioners refused to resign their office in accordance with the request of the Governor There is a question as to the legality of the Governor's authority in appointing a new Board recently

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

British Parliament.

LONDON August 9—The House of Commons last night recommenced the debate on the motion of Mr Butt for the removal of Justice Keogh for his decision in the Galway election case The most prominent Irish members strongly denounced the action of Keogh which had been approved by the Government The debate was exciting, and did not conclude until 4 o clock this morning, when a division of the House was taken and the Government was sustained by 100 majority

The Royal Yacht Squadron regatta which was commenced on the 5th inst, terminates to-morrow The match for the challenge cup a gift from the Prince of Wales will be sailed to day The American yacht *Sappho* entered for this race but some doubts are expressed about her starting

CALIFORNIA

From San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO August 9—The London Liverpool and Globe Fire Insurance Company is calling in and canceling all policies on buildings in this city located south of Market street in obedience to orders from London The reason for this is the preponderance of wooden buildings and consequent danger of a sweeping fire in that locality

Eighteen ships cleared from this port with cargoes of wheat and flour in July against two for the same period last year

Private telegrams quote wheat a trifle lower in Liverpool this afternoon

Stocks opened very dull this morning 8 965 shares sold at the first Board with few exceptions at a decline No considerable advance is anticipated before the middle of next week.

The day has been one of the dullest of the season in business of nearly every description

SAN FRANCISCO August 9—Stock sales this evening 16 2 5 shares of which 1 250 were Eureka Con, 1,100 Hubn & Hunt, 545 Meadow Valley

The Central American Friar's benefit at the City Gardens to day was again crowded not less than 5 000 persons visiting the place during the day The fair closes to morrow and will evidently net a very large sum

The original Diamond Discovery & Mining Co held a meeting to day and adopted an elaborate plan of a campaign to raise funds for the expedition The Company proposes to sell shares at $1 each The expedition will probably go via the gulf of California Fort Yuma and the Gila River though a part of the expedition favor the route via Denver and New Mexico The Company anticipate great loss from the abstraction of the diamonds by the workmen and in order to induce all the members of the expedition to work on the square have made the following arrangements Each member of the expedition is to be provided with the necessary outfit and properly provisioned and supported in the field by the Company All who go to sign a contract to remain in the service of the Company for one year and that all locations made by them shall be for the benefit of the Company Each member of the expedition to be entitled to 1 000 shares of the stock of the Company which shall be practically unassessable as hereinafter stated No wages to be paid except while actually working at mining on the grounds of the company and the wages to be such as rule in the country at the time Officers and scientific men of the party to be allowed additional stock besides the 1 000 shares In addition to the foregoing all the persons in the expedition to share in the remainder of the 5 000 shares of stock and proceed thereof in the following manner The stock was originally put on the market at $5 but the demand was found to be limited at that figure, Those who subscribed at $5 will be allowed four extra shares for each one already taken Though bound afterwards among the company will not overlook such riches as gold silver copper and other minerals ordinarily looked upon as good things to have and the company will accordingly take along as assortment of blank notices for claims of that description

A deputation of leading Republicans headed by Joseph Nelson arrived from Virginia City to day to consult with J P Jones on the subject of the Nevada senatorial fight

The Committee of One Hundred held a meeting to day and discussed important measures in connection with the project for building the western end of the A and P R R An independent organization will be effected on the plan originally proposed and the company will incorporate here under the name of the California Atlantic and Pacific R R 20th Parallel, with Alvinza Hayward R G Sneath J Seligman W P Jones J C Merrill M J O Connor J Beasley, Richard Tobin J M Hagar and Albert Dibblee as Directors on behalf of San Francisco and Messrs Coffin and Pierce and Mayor Brown on the part of St Louis The articles of incorporation will be filed immediately

A special telegram to the Democratic State Central Committee says McGinnis Democrat elected to Congress from Montana over Cragett Republican

INTERIOR CALIFORNIA DISPATCHES

VALLEJO August 9—The following amounts are to be paid to employes in the different departments of the Navy Yard to morrow Construction $25 66 yards and docks $21 300 steam engineering, $12 825 equipage $1 807 ordinance $1 810 navigation $611 provisions and clothing $ to medicine and surgery $806 Total, $64 13, to be divided among about 1 100

Lawrence Welch fell from a wagon the wheel passing over his leg and breaking it above the ankle

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A special telegram to the Democratic State Central Committee says McGinnis Democrat elected to Congress from Montana over Cragett Republican

INTERIOR CALIFORNIA DISPATCHES

VALLEJO August 9—The following amounts are to be paid to employes in the different departments of the Navy Yard to morrow Construction $25 66 yards and docks $21 300 steam engineering, $12 825 equipage $1 807 ordinance $1 810 navigation $611 provisions and clothing $ to medicine and surgery $806 Total, $64 13, to be divided among about 1 100

Lawrence Welch fell from a wagon the wheel passing over his leg and breaking it above the ankle

[illegible] pay of four regiments of volunteers after a performance at West Point got intoxicated and made a raid on the Chinese portion of the town destroying several frame buildings and also robbing the Chinamen of about $1 000 The parties are now under arrest

NEVADA

VIRGINIA August 9—The Republicans of this city fired one hundred guns this evening in honor of the victory of North Carolina

UTAH.

The Montana Election—Expedition to Search for Precious Gems

SALT LAKE, August 9—A *Journal* dispatch this evening from Montana says that McGinnis (Democrat) is seventy five ahead Returns not all in—contest hard fought The Republicans are still hopeful for Clagett

Another company to search for precious gems in Arizona and New Mexico is organizing here, all the stock being taken in the first organization

Railroad Matters—Election News

The Utah Southern commenced running this morning to Point Mountain, 25 miles It is rumored that the Union Pacific is negotiating for the Central Utah Southern with the intention of pushing work to the extreme southern district

Beaver county, in the southern section of the Territory, gives 60 majority for Maxwell, delegate to Congress, the first county ever carried by Gentiles in Utah Great rejoicing

About 150 Ute Indians had a conference with Lieut Wheeler yesterday of a peaceable nature His expedition was explained and the Indians returned home satisfied

ARIZONA

More Indian Murders

SAN DIEGO August 9—The Tucson *Arizonian* of the 3d inst, says the Apaches continue to murder our people the same as before promising to keep the peace They shot J M Flores dead near Sopra Ranch, July 20th, killing his horse and that of his companion The latter escaped Yesterday within 300 yards of Kitchen's Ranch, they shot and killed L Martin, an old and respected citizen

Sensational Gem Story

LOS ANGELES, August 8—Professor Glass, of Colorado, and the Todd party arrived this forenoon from an extended geological tour through Arizona and New Mexico, direct from the diamond fields and have with them a thousand pounds of specimens of gold, silver and other ores, several pints of precious and doubtful stones, which will be exhibited in San Francisco, found on the route from Fort Wingate to Albuquerque, New Mexico, and on the borders of Arizona, though not so frequent as what are called ant hill selections. These precious stones were discovered on the surface Genuine rubies specimens from the size of a large pea downwards diamonds, if there be any, are very small, and at best of little or no value He found rich gold and silver bearing quartz near Fort Wingate The party claim to have discovered and located a flowing oil spring that will fill from 70 to 100 barrels a day The precise location will not be divulged In the mountains and old ruins of ancient cities they found relics of tools pottery, and woven cloth, which were centuries old The party are not sanguine as to their diamond discoveries Three pints of their best stones will be tested and exhibited Ruby specimens will weigh a quarter of a pound The party suffered privations on the road and narrowly escaped perishing in crossing the Colorado desert

BRITISH COLUMBIA

Indians Mining News—Unsafe Bridge —Vivian

VICTORIA, August 8—The steamer *Otter* arrived yesterday from the North and confirms the previous reports regarding the Indians Everything was quiet up to the time of her sailing

Passengers generally give a very discouraging account of the mines Provisions were low and sales slow

The Alexandria suspension bridge over the Fraser river has been ordered closed being unsafe to be crossed on Pack animals cattle and foot passengers will be allowed to cross singly until the necessary repairs are completed

The Great Vivian took a complimentary benefit last evening and, after a very successful season, sailed this morning for Portland

In the Wilds of Africa

LETTER FROM DR LIVINGSTONE

James Gordon Bonnett Jr of the New York *Herald*, received by cable on the 25th ult the following letter, given by Dr Livingstone to Stanley, of the *Herald* expedition

UJIJI, on Tanganika East Africa
November 1871

James Gordon Bennett Jr, Esq

It is in general somewhat difficult to write to one never seen It seems much like addressing an abstract idea, but the presence of your representative Mr Stanley in this region takes away the strangeness I should otherwise have felt and in writing to thank you for your extreme kindness that prompted you to send him I feel quite at home If I explain the forlorn condition in which he found me you will easily perceive that I have a good reason to use a very strong expression of gratitude I came to Ujiji, a trip between four and five hundred miles beneath a blazing vertical sun having been baffled defeated and forced to return when almost in sight of the geographical part of my mission by a number of half caste Moslem slaves sent to me from Zanzibar instead of men My heart was made still sorer by the woful sights I had seen of man's inhumanity, which told on my bodily frame and depressed it beyond measure I thought I was dying on my feet It is not too much to say that I passed every step of my uneasy saltry way in pain, and I reached Ujiji a wreck of bones There I found some £500 worth of goods which I had ordered from Zanzibar had unaccountably been intrusted to a drunken man—half caste Moslem tailor—who after squandering them for six teen months on the way to Ujiji finished up by selling off the remainder for slaves and ivory for himself He had divined the Koran and found I was dead, he had also written to the Governor of Unyanyambe that he had sent the slaves after me to Manyema who had returned and reported my decease and begged permission to sell off the few goods his drunken appetite had spared He however knew perfectly well from men who had seen me I was alive and waiting for goods and men but as for morality he is evidently an idiot and there being no law except that of the dagger or musket I had to sit down in great weariness destitute of everything save fine Cotter clothes and beads, which I had taken the precaution to leave here in case of extremity The near prospect of begging among the Ujijans made me miserable I could not despair because I laughed so much at a friend, who on reaching the mouth of the Zambesie, said he was tempted to despair on breaking a photograph of his wife We could have no success after that Afterward Ida's despair had to me such a strong smack of ludicrousness that it was out of the question When I got to about the worst verge vague rumors of an English visitor reached me I thought of myself as a man who went down from Jerusalem to Jericho, but neither priest, Levite nor Samaritan could possibly pass my way Yet the good Samaritan was close at hand and one of my people rushed up at the top of his speed and in great excitement gasped out An Englishman is coming, I see him! and off he danced to meet him The American flag the first ever seen in these parts at the head of a caravan, told me the nationality of the stranger I was as [illegible] and non demonstrative as we Yankees are usually reported to be but your kindness made my frame thrill, it was indeed overwhelming, and I said in my soul Let the richest blessings descend from the throne on you, and [illegible] thrilling, mighty political changes on the continent the success of the Atlantic cable, the election of Gen Grant and many other topics riveted my attention for days to [illegible] and had an immediate and beneficial effect on my health I had been without news from home for years, save what I could glean from a few *Saturday Reviews* and *Punch* of 1868, my appetite revived, and in a week I began to feel strong again Saturday last was a most kind and encouraging despatch from Lord Clarendon, whose loss I am truly deplore the first I have received [illegible] the Foreign Office since 1866, and [illegible] tion that the British Government had kindly sent a thousand pounds to my aid Up to his arrival I was not [illegible] of any pecuniary aid, and I came [illegible] and this want is now happily removed. and I am anxious that you and all my friends know that, unclothed by [illegible] to the task which my friend, Sir Roderick Murchison set me, with [illegible] that all the world will come right at last. The [illegible] shed of south central Africa is over a hundred miles in length The fountains therein are almost innumerable [illegible] it would take a man's lifetime to count From the water-shed they converge into four large rivers, and they again into two great streams in the great Nile valley, which lying in ten degrees to twelve degrees south latitude It was long ere the [illegible] the ancient problem, and gave me a [illegible] of drainage I had to feel my way and step of the way, and was [illegible] in the dark, for who cared—where rivers ran we drank our fill and let the rest run by. Portuguese who visited Cazembe [illegible] slaves and I heard nothing else. I [illegible] about matters, questioned and [illegible] toned until I was almost afraid of [illegible] down as afflicted with hydrophobia my last work, in which I have [illegible] hindered from want of [illegible] units, and was following the [illegible] line of drainage down the rough [ill

The Daily Oregonian.

SATURDAY MORNING AUGUST 17 1872

West Virginia

A singular political contest is in progress in West Virginia It will terminate in the election which will take place on the 22d of August The main question is on the adoption or rejection of a new Constitution for the State though State officers including Governor and members of Legislature are to be chosen together with three Congressmen The present Governor of the State Jacob, a Democrat is an opponent of Greeley and an independent candidate for re election He has the support of Republicans and a considerable following of Democrats The name of the regular Democratic candidate for Governor is Camden who obtained the nomination, as Gov Jacob s friends assert by corruption and fraud He is a supporter of the new Constitution which is so framed as to impose grievous disabilities on the colored people of the State For this reason the instrument is bitterly opposed by the Republicans and by the liberal Democratic element led by Gov Jacob The proscriptive clauses of the new Constitution were inserted to the demand of the old rebel element which now supports Greeley talks peace and good will, and tries at the same time to oppress the colored population of the State Altogether the fight is one that presents the most singular phases of any that has recently taken place The Republicans and anti Greeley Democrats believe they can defeat the new Constitution and elect their State ticket, and their claim does not seem unreasonable The State went Democratic in 1870 and again in 1871, by nearly three thousand majority In case the new Constitution is rejected and the Greeley Democracy beaten, it is deemed certain that the State will go for Grant and Wilson in November

Phases of the North Carolina Election

The New York *Herald's* correspondent writing from North Carolina five days before the election, asserted that the Democratic majorities were very large and the Republican ones slim, that a largely increased vote was expected, which was claimed as Democratic, and that if one were to form an opinion as to the result from the attendance at the meetings and the enthusiasm of the respective parties, he would say that State was certainly Democratic by an increased majority. According to the *Herald's* correspondent, the leaders of that party were perfectly confident of success. Vance claimed 6,000 majority as the lowest figures he would accept. Yet, as the result shows, all these appearances and rationalizations were at fault The Republicans did not make a noisy campaign, but an effective one When the returns from the eastern counties came in, the Democrats thought the State was theirs This hope was dispelled by the unexpected increase of the Republican vote in the western counties, where there are very few colored people. The whites in that section had been counted as solid for the Democratic party. But they must have voted in large numbers for the other way It was admitted by the *Herald's* correspondent that the colored vote in all parts of the State was immovably Republican.

Not a Credible Witness

The *Herald* is still harping on Pleasanton s offer of patronage to Schurz, and declaring that it was by the honor of the President Pleasanton says the President authorized him to go to Schurz with this offer, and to press its acceptance on condition that he (Schurz) would support the San Domingo treaty Grant has said that Pleasanton's offer was entirely unauthorized. Now let us see whose honor is in jeopardy. Here is Pleasanton impeaching and denying that he was the bearer of a bribe to Schurz, and declaring that his word is worthless Grant's. Is the man who offers that he was the willing instrument in dirty and dishonorable business like this, the man whose veracity is to be relied on? The only thing we see is that the man who would carry the offer of a bribe will tell lies just when it suits him, and that is the unenviable position in which Pleasanton has placed himself before the public He does not seem to think that even if his story were true, the bribe-bearer is just as infamous a person as the bribe-giver or the bribe-taker The *Oregon Herald* does also obliviously of this fact, and takes Pleasanton, who has impeached himself, as if he were a man of unimpeachable honor! The fact is, honorable men nowhere would believe a man who would confess to his own dishonor as unhesitatingly as Pleasanton does.

It will be remembered that about a year ago Pleasanton was dismissed from the office of Internal Revenue, because with his usual self-independence he had assumed to be higher in authority than his lawful superior, the Secretary of the Treasury. He represented to everybody that the President was standing by him in his insubordination to the Secretary, though the fact from first to last was otherwise, and when it was found that he would not do it, the President sent him a written request to resign. Pleasanton s character is sufficiently known to the country It is regarded by men of all parties as contemptible His admission that he was a bearer of bribes will not increase anybody s respect for him for a man who will thus be the herald of his own dishonor will also be set down as a falsifier in any case where interest or resentment prompts him to action His offer of patronage to Schurz took place at the time when the quarrel with the Secretary of the Treasury was in progress, and no doubt Pleasanton hoped to bribe Schurz secure his support for the Administration, and thus ingratiate himself with the President, with whom he was fast losing ground

The Straight-Out Democracy

No doubt those who have been watching the progress of political events have observed the preparations making for the Convention of the straight out Democracy at Louisville on the 3d September From time to time the telegraph has reported the progress of this movement at the East, and a day or two since it gave in detail the plan adopted for action Evidently the movement means business The Committee say that the responses they have received are highly encouraging They go in for maintaining the Democratic organization, and for taking such a course as will enable the party to find a rallying point after Greeley's defeat, which they regard as inevitable They say they are already assured of a large attendance at Louisville, and are satisfied that more than half a million Democrats throughout the United States are with them, and utterly opposed to the Greeley "sell" In Eastern journals now arriving by mail we find meetings reported which Democrats have called to take action with reference to the Louisville Convention Probably no great movement in sympathy with this Convention will be witnessed in any one locality but the Convention nevertheless will represent a vast multitude of dissatisfied Democrats distributed throughout the whole country who will never vote for Greeley

State Teachers Association

On Tuesday next the State Teachers Association of Oregon will assemble at Eugene City Many of our best known educators have signified their intention to be present Topics of importance connected with the cause and promotion of education will be discussed and various plans and recommendations for a new school law will be considered

In the matter of a new school law a correspondent of the OREGONIAN recently suggested the true method He showed that the best way was not to attempt any radical change or to try to transplant from another State to this an entirely new school system but to make such changes in our existing system as experience has shown are required

But it is not wholly in this direction that the State Teachers Association can be useful The truth is there is springing up on all sides a desire for higher education It is seen in a more thorough development of the educational spirit What would suffice ten years ago will not suffice now The horizon widens Our education must extend beyond provincial bounds and become more general in its scope and character Education can no longer be considered the acquisition of isolated facts We must have these facts in their natural connection with other things The study of Grammar, for example does not consist in the recitation of a few rules—from the horn book It consists in the acquisition of that deeper interior knowledge which comes from a critical study of the structure of language of comparative philology and of the intellectual development of a people So of the Natural Sciences they are not detached and isolated facts but are parts of a beautiful and complete whole every part of which throws light on every other

Thus we are gradually getting out of the erroneous idea that education is a thing of shreds and patches, like some of the poems which Horace satirized in his times To inculcate this idea or a broader education is the duty the teachers of our schools, and to such an end the labors of the Association will, we trust, be wisely directed

Highly Interesting Revelations.

Among the documents recently purchased by our Government, and which reveal the secrets of the late Southern Confederacy, is a long letter by J P Holcombe, a rebel agent in 1864, to J P Benjamin, Secretary of State at Richmond This document the National Republican Committee are now printing for circulation It details Holcombe s connection with the Peace Convention at Niagara in which Greeley participated Holcombe says that he was so situated in Canada that he had opportunities of extensive intercourse with friends from the United States He was called in repeatedly by Buckalew and Judge Black, of Pennsylvania, Ben Wood, of New York, McLean, of the Cincinnati *Enquirer*, Weller, of California, and many other leading Democrats, and received messages from many more, such as Pendleton, Voorhees and Vallandigham He says that the impression made upon his mind by what he learned from these men, including interviews with leading members of the Sons of Liberty, as to the temper of the Democratic party and especially of the people of the Northwest, was favorable to the Confederate cause ' He was convinced by these men that a majority of the people were hostile to Lincoln's Administration and opposed to further continuance of the war for the preservation of the Union "The bitterness " he says, "between the hostile factions is intense Our sanguine friends had fixed upon various periods for revolutionary outbreak, but they were deferred, at their own instance, from time to time "

At this time Greeley was opposing Lincoln in the New York *Tribune* He was engaged in an intrigue for the removal of Lincoln from the field as a candidate for re-election, and the *Tribune* was yielding a very cold support to the measures of the war Holcombe in his report says that the course of the *Tribune* at this time attracted the attention of himself and associates, and induced the hope that Greeley "entertained opinions on the subject of peace much more reasonable and moderate than those of the Republican party in general " For this reason they invited Greeley to Niagara to visit them The latter received President Lincoln's consent to go, but was charged to receive no proposition which did not guarantee the submission of the rebels and the integrity of the Union As President Lincoln had foreseen the negotiation came to nothing The object of the rebel agents was simply to obtain a diplomatic advantage As Holcombe says, they wanted "to compel such new developments from Lincoln as would disclose the true policy of his administration ' in other words, they wanted to throw on the administration the odium of rejecting negotiations for peace, and thus help the peace party of the North, which was already very strong and fully prepared for "revolutionary outbreak ' The *Tribune* was opposing Lincoln, and hence they had sought this negotiation through Greeley But Lincoln was wiser than all of them and avoided the snare

The rebel agents considered it a matter of the first importance to prevent Lincoln's re election, and on this point Greeley was steadily playing into their hands, not indeed out of motives of disloyalty to the country but for petty reasons such as have now induced him to break with the Republican party and attempt to defeat Grant

In closing his report Holcombe urged the continuance of efforts to create anarchy at the North We ask attention to this passage

To keep alive such a degree of apprehension as will lead to the concentration of large bodies of troops to repress insurrection within their own limits will of itself be an important diversion in our favor We should employ money and talent without stint to give this brooding resentment the proportions of anarchy and civil strife let us preserve our communication with our friends in the North Warned by our past experience let us introduce arms more gradually and cautiously, and as far as practicable subsidize the leading presses, and through the ordinary channels of newspapers as well as of campaign documents, enlighten and influence the public mind, enlist public men of character and influence, whose principles and sympathies are with us, by indemnifying them against the hazards to which bold and decisive action may expose them With arms, leaders and an opportunity we would strike a deadly blow

These were the men with whom Greeley was brought into intercourse by his opposition to Lincoln As already shown, they were in communication with Buckalew Vallandigham and other leading Democrats who sympathized with their objects and assisted in creating a sensation at the North in favor of the rebel cause These revelations positively identify the Democratic party of the Northern States with the schemes of the rebel emissaries. They furnish the first conclusive and direct evidence of the complicity of Democratic leaders with the rebel schemes of insurrection and show that they were supplied with large sums of money to perfect plans of violent resistance and revolutionary outbreak The record is complete and unimpeachable It lets a flood of light in upon one hitherto dark places in history and more than confirms all that was said about the disloyalty of Democratic leaders during the war Greeley s connection with these intrigues though not criminal like that of the Democratic leaders is extremely reprehensible The rebel agents sought a conference for the purpose of undermining Lincoln and binding the sentiment of the North in regard to the war Greeley responded It does not now make matters look any better to find him entertaining Saunders one of those conspirators, at his home and bestowing all possible attentions on him

Last Saturday—only a week ago—the *Herald* was more joyous than it will be this morning On that occasion it was bubbling over with exultation North Carolina was the cause A bantam surmounting one of those "specials made to order and claiming twenty thousand majority crowed lustily and a double leaded editorial a column long filled with all sorts of extravagant boastings followed hard after Exclaimed our jubilant neighbor — It is but the beginning of the end! Mark it Greeley and Reform will sweep the country as they have now swept North Carolina! Exactly that is just the way it will do it! Our neighbor now shudders at the omen

Greeley Trumbull and Schurz raise the hue and cry of "nepotism against Grant But just look at this record Greeley secured the appointment of his own brother in law John F Cleveland to the position of Internal Revenue Assessor in the Sixth District of New York one of the most lucrative places in the service Trumbull had his brother in law Dr Layne, appointed first as Governor of Dakota and afterwards as Pension Agent for Illinois Subsequently Trumbull tried to get his own son appointed to a lucrative position Schurz had his brother in law, Jussen, appointed Collector of Internal Revenue at Chicago and raged highly when Grant removed him for incapacity

It is getting to be the impression that Grant makes a confoundedly bad President —*Herald*

Ask New Hampshire Connecticut, Oregon and North Carolina, all of which have recently spoken on this subject, what *they* think of it

OREGON

At Albany one bushel of potatoes is worth as much as two of wheat

Work is progressing rapidly on the railroad bridge across the North Umpqua

Now wheat is coming in rapidly at the Salem mills Seventy cents is the price paid

Messrs Beard & Co have erected a warehouse at Tangent Linn county which will hold 60 000 bushels of grain

Chas Logus, of Oregon City has bought one third interest in the Chemeketa Hotel at Salem at the rate of $35 000 for the whole building

The City Council of Salem has lately concluded to discontinue some of its street lamps, and also the services of one of its two watchmen, on the score of economy

Villainy is doing its work at Salem without let or hindrance Burglaries are of daily occurrence The residence of John Reynolds was entered on Wednesday and robbed of a gold watch and a pair of pantaloons

The deaf mute school will reopen in Salem on September 1st, under the superintendence of Prof Smith The Professor has been very successful thus far in his tedious work, but he is determined to do everything within his power for his unfortunate fellow beings At least 25 pupils are expected.

From the Albany *Democrat* Last Sunday a couple of black bears were brought to this city to be shipped to East Portland for the purpose of putting them in the park They were captured in the mountains west of Corvallis, and are fair specimens of that species, one weighing 275 and the other 300 pounds.

A young man named Pierce, eighteen years of age, who was hauling hay with his father, twelve miles southeast of Salem, while climbing upon the load, fell down between the horses The animals began kicking and started to run The wagon passed over young Pierce, causing injuries of which he died in two hours The accident took place on Wednesday

An act of Congress provides that Colleges which have capacity to educate 150 students may have a Department of military science under charge of an officer of the Army President Gatch, of Wallamet University will ask that Lieut Fred Schwatka, now of the 5th Cavalry, stationed on the North Platte, may be detailed to act as such Professor of Military Science at that place The number of institutions so favored is limited to twenty

THE TERRITORIES

A washing machine factory has been started at Olympia

The Territorial University at Seattle will open on the first Monday in September next in charge of Prof E K Hill, brother of Capt Geo D Hill He will be assisted by his wife.

A sale of Washington Territory University lands was advertised to come off last week at Seattle There were no bidders, and the lands will not be sold till somebody wants them

It is expected that preliminary surveys to the 49th parallel down the Sound will be completed this year, but it is not probable that a locating line will be ordered till exhaustive reconnoissances determine the best line of route

An Olympia paper says If any doubting Thomas is of the opinion that Olympia is not progressing on its own account without regard to railroad inactivity, let him take a walk some fine morning and note the number of new buildings that are being erected for business purposes and dwellings

The Olympia *Transcript* has a story that a conference was held at Olympia a few days ago at which leading Republicans were present and it was decided that Garfield must be withdrawn The talk is that Chief Justice Jacobs is to be set up as the candidate All of which is extremely improbable

The Seattle *Dispatch* thus advises the Olympians There are cheering signs that the Olympia people have at least decided to help themselves—*signs futures* of the terminus has been dissipated True the policy is to build up the present town by improving the valuable water power of the Des Chutes, and pay no attention to the railroad schemes

The Philadelphia *Enquirer* notes a shipment of $2,000 000 of abraded coin from the Sub Treasury of New York to the mint at Philadelphia for recoinage In this country the Government stands the loss of worn coin In England this falls on the parties who pay it out Coin at the Bank of England is always weighed and the deficiency deducted from the nominal value

Remarkable Cure of Mr Abram Tully

San Jose August 9 1871

Dr A M Loryea & Co —Some two years since I was taken down with Inflammatory Rheumatism and was for some time treated by two Physicians but got no better I tried nearly every remedy I heard of but nothing seemed to do me any good, until about two weeks ago I was advised by Judge J Johnson to try your UNKNOWED REMEDY I procured one bottle and was entirely cured For six weeks before taking the UNKNOWED I was compelled to go upon crutches I consider your remedy a great blessing to suffering humanity and shall deem it my duty to inform all Rheumatics of its great virtues Yours etc

ABRAM TULLY

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CITY.

THE H —Any one who may not have had occasion to pay a visit that portion of our city which lies north and west of the North Pacific house can have no idea of the improvements which are in progress in the way of new streets and houses One of the most promising parts of Portland is receiving rapid developments at the hand of the army of graders and thousands of yards of earth are changing place with a result long beneficial to the appearance of the streets and blocks which must be gratifying to those who have the interest of this part of town in view Conspicuous among the new buildings which are rising on every side we have noticed one situated on the corner of F and Fourteenth streets, nearly opposite Plymouth church, at a point central to every part of the city entirely overlooking the whole surrounding landscape, and have learned that this edifice is not a private building but is designed as a public charitable institution So unostentatious have been the plans and methods employed in erecting The Home" (for so this building is to be called) that only a few people know to this day of its existence or are aware that so beneficent a charity as this promises to be is fairly launched and almost ready for use in its labor of love and benefaction to the community It will interest our readers to learn something of the history of The Home," its appearance and objects About Christmas time an appeal was issued by the Ladies Relief Society, setting forth the great need of a home for friendless women and children and destitute families or emigrants There was but one publication of this appeal in each of the city papers We hear that a copy of it was afterwards enclosed together with a circular to many of our leading citizens The result was that the sum needed was subscribed (within $60 which was made up in small sums) by twenty one individuals On the first of May last the contract was let and the building to day is completed, and ready for a home for occupation and use Its appearance is that of a commodious dwelling house in size 36 by 43 feet with two stories 12 and 11 feet high An ample hall occupies the whole center with rooms, dormitories, etc, opening to each side The first floor has a well appointed kitchen, dining room, matron's room, and a large bath room with two rooms to be occupied by any inmates The second story has four rooms of the usual size (16x14) and one large dormitory or school room From all the windows there is a delightful view Each room is furnished with transoms, and the whole house is hard finished and painted in the best manner An ample space in the large roof is capable of being turned into rooms with dormer windows, if the future needs of the Home justify. By means of a force pump and tank an ample supply of the best spring water is distributed throughout the building The whole cost is $3,300 and no debt has been incurred It is the purpose of the ladies who have in charge this most praiseworthy enterprise to place it in working condition at the earliest day We understand that steps are already taken by which our citizens who may so desire will have the privilege of assisting in the important matter of furnishing he house with needed stores, beds, furniture, crockery, etc, and that an appeal will be made by the committee appointed for this purpose to be presented to the public We hear already of a munificent gift of two or three hundred dollars worth of serviceable carpets, and doubt not that all other needed articles will come in to superfluity as soon as the opportunity is given When so much has been done, so quickly and efficiently, it will be esteemed a privilege by any one to supplement the larger work with the gift of articles for house keeping, and thus be represented in a substantial manner in the life of "The Home"

BOAT RACE —A very spirited and exciting race took place on Thursday evening between the O S N Co s steamers *Dixie Thompson* (formerly *Cascades*) and the *Oneonta*. The matter of the respective speed of these two splendid boats has long been a subject of conjecture, and as there never had been any fair and impartial test of the steamers, it remained unsettled which of the two could boast of the best time. It seems at length that the question as to the fastest craft has been settled, for a time at least. On Thursday evening, as the *Dixie Thompson* was on her way from Astoria to this city, and about half a mile below the mouth of the Willamet, she espied the *Oneonta* just rounding the point where the waters of the two rivers mingle, on her way from the Cascades and bound for Portland. The *Dixie Thompson* gave chase immediately Both steamers were put to the ex out of their traveling powers For a long time neither seemed to gain nor lose, but at length the *Dixie* commenced to "crawl" slowly on her rival. This she continued to do until the *Oneonta* was passed above Swan Island Notwithstanding the *Oneonta* used all the steam she could with positive safety, her more rapid assistor increased the distance between them until the two boats were separated by about one fourth of a mile, when the *Dixie* touched her wharf As the other boat had a long start, it is claimed that the *Dixie* won by about three quarters of a mile The distance from the commencement of the race to the wharf was made by the latter steamer in 48 minutes It was a very lively race, and considerable enthusiasm was felt and manifested by the passengers on the rival boats It is needless to add that the result of the race produced very opposite effects on the spirits of the passengers

DESTROYED BY FIRE —A most destructive fire visited Springville on Thursday night, which destroyed a large amount of property at that place The fire was first discovered about 11 o'clock by some men who were on a scow moored at the lower wharf A gleam of light was first seen through one of the windows, and almost the next instant flames burst out almost simultaneously at several places Within five minutes from the time the fire was first discovered three large, commodious warehouses, a store and two wharves—a lower and upper—were all enveloped in flames. The alarm was given and vigorous efforts were made to save all the wheat possible stored in the warehouses. About $800 worth was removed to a place of safety, but everything else—both the buildings and their contents—were entirely consumed All the property destroyed belonged to Messrs Comstock & Co Everything was burned down to the water's edge A quantity of wood lying on the lower wharf was consumed, but the scow which was moored alongs de and loaded with wood, was swung out in the stream and saved The dwelling house of Mr Comstock, standing a short distance from the river, narrowly escaped the general destruction By means of wet blankets the building was saved The total loss is estimated at or near $16,000, and the insurance we learn, is $12,000, in the Imperial and another company This will fully cover all the loss But little grain was in the warehouses at the time of the fire. A month hence and there would have in all probability been but little short of 60 000 bushels stored away From the manner in which the fire seemed to originate, it is a generally received impression that the fire was the work of an incendiary

SPIRE RAISED —The spire of the new Trinity Church at the corner of Oak and Sixth streets was raised to its proper altitude at an early hour yesterday morning Mr Therkelsen the contractor, wisely arranged with Capt Thomas Mountain, to raise the huge structure On Wednesday morning of this week, he commenced his preparations for accomplishing the work and on Thursday evening everything was in readiness The spire was raised from its seat in the tower about two feet, and allowed to hang in that position all night so that all things might find their true stream and be in perfect condition for raising the heavy mass on the following morning At 4 o clock this morning the spire was lowered again to its seat upon which it was raised, all the tackle and appliances carefully examined again, and at 4 40 the word was passed to start the capstan and at 5 15 it was passed again to stop hearing as it had reached its elevation, thus occupying but one hour and thirty five minutes in its upward passage So perfect had Capt Mountain's arrangements been made that it moved steadily and evenly in its upward course the apex not veering to one side or the other, in any appreciable degree, to those who so carefully watched its progress By eight o'clock the spire was permanently seated in place bolted and secured firmly to the Church tower In a few weeks the whole structure will be finished, and its beautiful proportions will be acknowledged by all who see it It will be a great ornament to our city

TABEAU IN TROUBLE —Readers have doubtless heard of, or seen the farce entitled Bull in a China Shop We have just learned of a circumstance in which a bull came near getting in a furnace, "red hot" at that The results attending this feat of Taurus, were very different from what took place in the China shop for instead of making a general smash of crockery, his bullship got the worst of the bargain The other day as the steamer *Mary Bell* was on her way to this city, a large black bull which was on board became very contrary and restive and on getting a sound thrashing for his stubbornness he concluded to go down to see at the fireman at work He lumbered down into the hole and the fellow below thinking the place too small for a scared fireman and a mad bull scrambled out as fast as the bull came in Now the furnace was not heated seven times hotter than it was sometimes but still it was a little too warm for Taurus and he was as glad to get out as he was to get in It was no easy task to draw out a thousand pounds in the form of an infuriated bull The prospects were brilliant for a few minutes to have roast bull meat but genius triumphed and the animal was at last 'blocked up' like a locomotive and extricated from a pent on too warm for him to hold The animal when raised on the dock was found to be badly singed, and effectually subdued The circumstance caused much excitement and not a little sport among the passengers

NARROW ESCAPE —During the fire which occurred at Springfield on Thursday night a young man named Wilcox very narrowly escaped death by burning Wilcox was the book keeper in the store and occupied a room in the second story At the time of the fire he was in bed and sound asleep The roaring of the flames and the shouts of the men failed to arouse him from his slumbers The fire at length reached the store and soon it was enveloped in flames Still young Wilcox remained unconscious of the dreadful death so near at hand In the excitement and confusion attending the scene no one thought of Wilcox Suddenly the fearful condition of the young man flashed on the mind of one of the men He dashed into the flames, up the stairway and into the room occupied by the sleeper He took Wilcox in his arms and carried him bodily out of the burning building, almost before he was aware of the existence or extent of the peril to which he was exposed One minute more and no human aid could have reached him

DURING THE FAIR —We have been shown a letter written by John Wilson the circus man to his agent, Mr J E Gorham, who left last evening on the steamer The letter was written from Salt Lake and bore date of July 20th From it we learn that Mr Wilson has concluded to visit this State the coming fall—arriving here about the first of next month From Salt Lake the company will proceed to Marysville, thence to San Francisco, and from that place to this city by steamer in time to exhibit during the State Fair After that the company will perform here, proceed to Victoria, and from thence return to California

SAILED —The steamer *Ajax* sailed last evening for San Francisco, carrying away the following passengers Mrs Leon Vial Miss Dodge, Miss Haring, William Week, William Meek Mrs Dodge, S W Rawsley, A Schlussel, F M Bacon and wife, Miss Lillie White, O Bonnis, T Savage, S C Hunt, Lee Sun, C W Haring, Bliss Sullivan, Captain Nason, Mrs A L Hapgood, B L Morris, D C Trott, Mr Dodge and brother, Mr Campbell, E W Griggs, N H Hill, Mrs E A Greenon and niece, Mrs Van Duzen, Lee Dun G W Curlee W F & Co s messenger, and 25 in the steerage

COUNTY LODGE —The regular quarterly meeting of Multnomah County Lodge No 3 I O O F, was held in the hall of Brooklyn Lodge, near Lee's Chapel, August 9th The following are the officers elected and installed by District Deputy G W C T. E W Ryan J B Garrison, W C T, Mrs. A C Howe, W. V T/ E W Ryan, Secretary, W A Webber, R. S. Jacob Ownsby, Treasurer, B A Cathy, Marshal, Jas Hughes, Guard, A Cornuir, Sentinel Rev J S McCain, Chaplain The next meeting of the Lodge will held in the city of Portland on the second Thursday in November

SPORTSMEN'S CLUB —An adjourned meeting of the above named club will be held this evening at the Police Court at 8 o'clock A permanent organization having been effected, the object of the meeting is to elect permanent officers For this reason, a large attendance is desirable All who desire to join the club can become members to night without any charge After this meeting a regular initiation fee will be charged, and persons cannot join until the usual application is made and the Club votes upon it

NIMRODS —Four days ago a party of three hunters left East Portland for a general hunt The party consisted of Professor T H Parrott, Mr H W. Prettyman and Dr Sanford The Nimrods had a fine time, and committed sad havoc among the feathered denizens of "ye land of Webfoot" The success attending the expedition can be judged from the results of the hunt—150 grouse and 74 quail being the fruits of the chase. This is an average of 50 birds for each day the party was out.

WHAT IT DID.—The precise nature of the amendment made to the bridge ordinance at the last meeting of the Council does not seem to be understood Having been asked about it very often we here state that said amendment makes Pine street the northern limit within which the bridge can be built instead of Salmon street, as per the original ordinance The time for desig nating the precise location was also extended until the 28th of August

STEAMERS —The *Rescue* is undergoing repairs and being repainted She will resume the line in a few days

The *Jorre McNear* is now in excellent running condition and ready for business

The *Okanagan* goes, we learn, through to Astoria this morning

The *Emma Hayden* is now at the bone yard awaiting orders

ROLL CASE —Protection Engine Company No 1 are having made for the use of that company a roll case, in which is to be placed a list of exempt firemen from No. 4 since its organization The roll case is to be manufactured out of the finest quality of wood, and will be of the most elegant and costly workmanship Mr A P DeLin is now engaged in making it The cost of the case when finished will be $130

TELEGRAPHED FOR —Mr. Jos Reily, Constable for North Portland precinct, received a telegram yesterday from San Francisco, stating that his wife was lying at that place very low, and not expected to live He took the steamer for that place at once During his absence a Mr Sypher will act as special constable

RESIGNED—APPOINTED —The resignation of W J Tennant as Constable of Morrison Precinct was accepted yesterday by the County Court, and S A Dray appointed in his place by the Court

INDISPOSITION —We regret to announce that Judge Denny, owing to an attack of bilious fever, has been unable to hold court for the last two days

PICNIC —A number of young ladies and gentlemen of Vancouver gave a picnic near that place yesterday A very pleasant time was experienced

If W G Gilbert will leave his address at this office he may hear of something to interest him

A CARD

By request we publish the following card from the L R Society

PORTLAND Aug 9th

It gives the ladies of the Relief Society great pleasure to be able to report that "The Home" for the relief of the poor, for which the public has so generously contributed, is entirely completed and in readiness for the furniture which is necessary to put it in working order Trusting that the community is not yet weary in well doing, we are encouraged to appeal once more for help in this quarter

Will the merchants who are willing to furnish something in their line, carpets, dry goods, bedding etc, make it known to any member of the society or to the furnishing committee (Mrs Burrage, Mrs General Babbit and Mrs Wadhams) who will most gratefully receive any contributions The ladies are greatly indebted to Mr E M Burton, who generously gave his services as architect for "The Home" free of charge and they would here publicly express to him their thanks

FANNY AINSWORTH
Secretary "Ladies' Relief Society

COURT PROCEEDINGS

CIRCUIT COURT—LYON, J

FRIDAY August 9 1872

Peter John vs T L Arnold testimony and arguments closed and case taken under advisement by the court

Shattuck vs Smith attachment against Harker, witness to pay costs and discharged, and cause continued

Proizman, Gillihan & Co vs Nea Don van cause submitted and taken under advisement, and to be further argued in vacation

Goodman vs Myrick, the A street case, argued and taken under advisement

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LOCAL BREVITIES

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Don't put away your linen cuffs

Joe Murphy is in San Jose California

The Jersey Lily is in Jersey

Money orders are being used freely at the Post Office

There is now a telegraph office on Portland Heights

Public indignation is rising high against the Postoffice

The Trinity Church steeple was an early riser yesterday morning

Steamer *Ajax* leaves San Francisco today for this port

Miss Anna Mehl is a Virginia correspondent of the 9th at Marysville California

Mrs A J Dunlway is lecturing at Hyman Hill Stockton, one evening last week

Jasper Wood has sent a number of large pictures of H G Wells to the city He is awake to the necessities of the hour

Multnomah Engine No 2 was out drilling last evening She threw a stream of water 180 feet through 1 100 feet of hose with seventy pounds of steam

Yesterday a raft loaded with 110 000 feet of lumber and 14 000 laths came up the river The lumber will be used in planking a portion of Fourth street

Here is something for the *Herald* market report Democratic campaign roosters none in market except one whipped chicken which can be seen at this office

HOLLY WATER WORKS.

PORTLAND Aug 9 1872

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY OREGONIAN

Three days ago a *Herald* writer made a statement to the effect that the loss by fire for one whole year in Portland was $4 From that assertion I inferred that our fire system was better than the Holly system because in that town where there were Holly works, the loss by fire the same year was greater To day the *Herald* contains a statement that the loss by fire for one short day of this year, in Portland, was $8 72 Hence to be consistent with his previous deduction, the writer who began figures in to day's *Herald*, must deduce the fact that the system of fire protection of last year in Portland was very much better than the system of fire protection of yesterday in Portland Cannot the writer himself now see the utter absurdity of his deduction when viewed by the glare of yesterday's fire The writer in the *Herald* facetiously attempts to evade the fact asserted by me that the fir timber of Oregon, when on fire, is the most easily controlled by water, of any building timber in the world, but the fact still remains all the same He very sillily asks then if my statement is true "what necessity of any system of fire protection for Portland?" If I had stated that our building timber would not burn at all, his question would have been pertinent, but under my statement it is too contemptible for notice But I do not write this article in reply to the *Herald* writer's last attempt, as it is indeed too trivial for the notice already paid to it, but simply for the purpose of calling your attention to one or two facts in regard to this water question The first fact is in regard to the total charge of the *Herald* on the water question in one short year One year ago it was outspoken as to the exorbitant charges of the Water Co, and as to the duty of the City Council to give relief Now it has not one word to say against these exorbitant charges, but appears to be laboring to reconcile the people to the yoke they wear The other fact is that a ring is being formed to gobble up the $100 000 which the city is authorized to expend for water and gas If a majority of the present Council cannot be brought into the "ring" the attempt will be made to stave off this water question until more pliable timber can be secured The citizens of Portland ask of this present Council that they should attend to this important water question at once

BUSINESS NOTICES

HOME SHUTTLE —We refer our readers to the testimonial of the Home Shuttle Sewing Machine, which appears in our special column this morning Mr Traver says he expects six dozen more of these favorite machines to arrive on the next steamer

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Methodist Episcopal Church—Corner of Taylor and Fif

Her Sphere.

No outward sign her angelhood revealed,
Save that her eyes were wondrous mild and fair,—
The aureola round her forehead was concealed
By the pale glory of her shining hair.

She bore the yoke and wore the name of wife
To one who made her tenderness and grace
mere conveniences of his narrow life,
And put a scrap in a servant's place.

She cheered his meager hearth,—she blessed and charmed
His poverty, and met his harsh demands
With meek, unvarying patience, and performed
Its menial tasks with stained and battered hands.

She nursed his children through their helpless years,—
Gave them her strength, her youth, her beauty's prime,—
Bore for them sore privation, toil and tears,
Which made her old and tired before her time.

And when fierce fever smote him with its blight,
Her calm, consoling presence charmed his pain,
Through long and thankless watches, day and night,
Her flutt'ering fingers cooled his face like rain.

With soft, magnetic touch, and murmurs sweet,
She brought him sleep, and stilled his fretful moan,
And taught his flying pulses to repeat
The mild and moderate measure of her own.

She had an artist's quick, perceptive eyes
For all the beautiful a poet's heart
For every changing phase of earth and skies,
And all things fair in nature and in art.

She looked with all a woman's keen delight
On jewels rich and dainty drapery,
Rare fabrics and soft home,—the happy light
Of those more favored but less fair than she.

On pallid pearls, which glimmer cool and white,
Dimming proud forehead with their purity;
On silks which gleam and ripple in the light,
And shift and shimmer like the summer sea;

On gems like drops by sudden sunlight kissed,
When fall the last large brilliants of the rain;
On laces delicate as frozen mist
Embroidering a winter window-pane;—

Yet, near the throng of worldly butterflies,
She dwelt, a chrysalis, in homely brown;
With constliest splendors flaunting in her eyes,
She went her dull way in her gingham gown.

Hedged in by alien hearts, unloved, alone,
With stoodier shoulders bowed beneath their load,
She trod the path that fate had made her own,
Nor met one kindred spirit on the road.

Slowly the years rolled onward; and at last,
When the bruised reed was broken, and her soul
Knew its sad term of earthly bondage past,
And felt its nearness to the heavenly goal,

Then a strange gladness filled the tender eyes,
Which gazed once more beyond all grief and sin,
And ——— rest to see the gates of paradise
Unbarring for her foot to enter in.

Calmly the minister she had served so long
Of her worn hands, and, with remorseful tears,
Cried: "Stay, oh, stay! Forgive my bitter wrong;
Let me atone for all these dreary years!"

Alas for heedless hearts and blinded sense!
With what faint welcome and what meager fare,
When human subjections and cruel recompense,
We entertain our angels unaware!

—*Elizabeth Akers Allen.*

RAISING THE DEVIL.

AN INCIDENT IN THE LIFE OF PETER CARTWRIGHT.

It was a dark and tempestuous night, a night to fill the soul with fright; the lightning flashed, the wild beasts squealed, when a poor preacher of the gospel wended his way through the dismal intricies of a western forest, many years ago.

The poor man felt anything but comfortable; for he was wet through to the skin, and almost tired to death. He had been tramping about since morning, besides he had lost his way, so the reader can imagine what state of mind he was in, and also appreciate the sudden transition from despair to hope which he experienced on seeing the glimmer of a light ahead. He quickened his flagging feet and soon came up to the light which issued from the only window of a solitary log cabin in the forest.

Remembering the scriptural injunction, "Knock, and it shall be open unto you," he did so, but without any response. He rapped ——— louder than before, and this time a rough female voice asked:

"Who's there?"

"It is I," was the indefinite reply of the rain soaked parson.

"Well, who are you and what do you want?" asked the voice gruffer than before.

"A poor benighted preacher of the Gospel who has lost his way, and who wishes to stay here all night," answered the preacher in a dolorous voice.

"Well, stay there—I don't see what's to hind you."

"But I am almost starved, and I will pay you handsomely for some supper," he responded, his teeth chattering with cold, not at all appreciating the joke.

The w—— "liberally pay" acted like a ——— and after a few moments of delay, ——— the unfastening of the door, it was ——— and our parson entered.

He found himself in a rough apartment with a large fire place at one end, on which a great log was blazing, besides a box filled with dry flax, ——— of the furniture.

But all minor deficiencies seemed to be made up by the landlady of the house, for she was full six feet in height, and weighed nigh on to three hundred pounds.

After having place some food on the table, she ——— to the parson, who stood shivering before the fire, making futile attempts to dry himself, alternately turning one side and then the other to the fire:

"Now, I want you to eat this grub as quick as you know how, and then tramp, as it is utterly impossible for me to keep you here over night."

"But, my good woman," said the parson anxiously, "I shall perish in this inclement weather. I have been wondering in this fearful storm since morning, and if you have any compassion or pity at all you will try and give me some place where I can be sheltered from the storm for the night;" and he offered a $5 bill.

"Well," said the woman, avariciously clutching the money, "if you think you can stay in the ——— maybe you can stay; but hurry up, for I expect my husband home every minute, and it's as much as your life is worth if he should catch you here, for he's a perfect devil incarnate; would think no more of murdering you than he would of shooting a grizzly bear."

The woman produced a small ladder as she spoke, and bade the parson to get up in the garret.

There was a small "drop," or trap door in the ceiling which raised of its own accord on the parson's head pressing it upward, and not without some difficulty he managed to squeeze himself through the aperture. After he was up the woman told him to shut the trap and not to make any noise, for his life, and then, taking the ladder away, the parson was left to his own reflections.

Wet and uncomfortable as he was, his fatigue was such that he had almost fallen asleep when he was disturbed by some one knocking at the door.

Being somewhat curious to know what kind of a looking man his unknown host was he rose and peeped through a small crack in the floor in the room underneath. He saw the woman open the door cautiously, and after admitting a short thick set man in a heavy cloak, lock it again.

From the mysterious actions and whisperings that ensued, our parson rightly concluded that the person who had just entered was not the woman's husband, but her paramour, who had taken advantage of her husband's absence to pay her a noctural visit. After whispering together for a while the woman went to the cupboard and produced a bottle of whisky and a plate of ham and bread which she set on the table, and the twain were soon engaged in a loving repast. While the parson was watching the guilty couple, there came a thundering knock at the door, which caused them both to jump to their feet with the greatest consternation. Without a moment's loss of time the woman ran to the box of flax and emptied it on the floor. Then she bade the man, who was almost scared to death to get into the box, which he was only too glad to do, and when he was in she rapidly covered him with the flax. The woman then ran to the door and unbolted it, all the while rubbing her eyes as if just awaking from sleep.

"I was asleep and did not hear you before," whimpered the woman. "And don't for God's sake curse so much, for there is a Methodist minister up in the garret!"

"Who cares for a Methodist minister, I'd like to know? But I'll soon have him out of his hole. Here, you old canting hypocrite, come out of this and show yourself, or I'll make you," he exclaimed with many imprecations, as he set the ladder before the trap door.

The poor parson almost dead with fright, slowly descended the ladder, looking as white as a ghost, for, from the ruffian's manner he expected he would be a ghost soon.

"Don't hurt the poor man. See how sickly he looks!" exclaimed the woman, pitying the poor creature's distress.

"You shut up and mind your own business, or it will be the worse for you," was the gracious reply of her lord; then turning to the trembling parson, he asked:

"Are you a Methodist minister, and do you believe in hell and the devil?"

The parson replied in the affirmative.

"Well, by the Eternal, I don't, and if you believe in the devil you'll either have to make him appear, or I'll cut your lying throat and make you appear before him!" and he drew his bowie knife in a threatening manner. The poor preacher was in anything but an enviable situation, and thoughts of another world began to fill his mind with anxious forebodings; for it is a remarkable fact that however much clergymen may preach and talk of the future world, they prefer to have others go on and enjoy it. This may be self-abnegation or pure selfishness; Heaven knows.

"Are you most ready?" asked the ruffian, raising his knife as he saw the other hesitate. "I'll give you just three minutes, and if the devil is not here, you will be with the devil."

"My friend," said the pastor, into whose head a brilliant idea had popped, "that there is a hell is a well established fact, as I can prove by hundreds of writers, and that the devil exists allows of no contradiction; and that I have the power to make him appear is also true; but dreadful to you will be the consequences if he does! Better for you had you never been born than see Satan face to face in the wicked state in which you are in!"

"D—n you, stop your preaching, and call the old boy! I'll stand the consequences, for the time is up."

The parson went to the fireplace and took a brand, which he applied to the box of flax. It blazed up almost like gun powder, and the unearthly yell that issued from the poor devil in the box was truly appalling.

With an acrobatic power, of the possession of which he was himself unaware, he leaped out of the box, covered from head to foot with burning flax. With roars and howls of agony he made straight for the door, but he was not so quick as the owner of the premises, for with one look of terror at the burning figure, he fled out of the house, closely pursued by "his Satanic Majesty."

When they were both gone the parson gave his hostess a short but effective lecture on connubial duties, after which he seated himself comfortably before the fire.

When the husband returned he treated the parson with the greatest respect, fully convinced that he had the power to raise the devil at will.

LIST OF LETTERS REMAINING IN THE PORTland Postoffice August 10, 1872.

Persons calling for these letters must give the date on which they are advertised.

LADIES' LIST.

Anderson, Mrs E W	King, Mrs G A
Blythe, Miss Lizzie	Lewis, Miss E S
Bell, Mrs Mary A	Myers, Mrs
Clinton, Julia	Marshall, Miss L
Cole, Mrs W M	Miller, Mrs A
	Millard, Miss Julia F
Eyres, Mrs Clara	Olsen, Miss M
Farrell, Mrs Annie L	Portland, Miss S
Farrell, Mrs Eliza	Prescot, Miss Lizzie
Fowler, Miss Ella	
Golden, Miss C E	Reed, Mrs H M
Hutton, Miss I N	Shute, Miss Annie
Kufman, Mrs A	Webber, Miss Clara
Keam, Mrs M	Whittemore, Miss L

GENTLEMEN'S LIST.

Adams, W H	Grimes, Stanley	O'Donald, John
Allen, Jas	Gaken, Mr	O'Hara, Geo
Alger, W J	Gilson, Geo	Patton, A
Anthony, J	Hayes, Jessie	Prescot, F L
Black, Daniel	Harwood, C W	Peves, P
Bartlett, Melvin	Hartling, John N	Pierson, Z
Bennett, Wm	Weber, M	Phillips, Michael
Robinson, E	Hollister, H	
Bowen, E J	Horse, Matthew	Quigley, Michael
Browne, E D	Holbrook, Mart	
	Hunt, R	Rand, Abraham
Cone, C F		Ranger, J
Collier, Jos	Josephson, J	Rogers, W P
Cook, Ed	Jones, Geo	
Cook, Capt D R	Jones, W H	Sean, Benj
Coos Bay Coal Co	Johnson, A	Smith, Clark
Crow, John		Smith, J M
Cross, John	Ware, Ed	Stone, H R
Cowan, M	Kelly, A	Smith, J W
Clark, E F	Knoph, A	Stoop, H
Chase, B B	Kenney, —	
Chapman, W H	Kimbley, G T	Twombley, A M
Delaney, Hugh	Lavery, Wm	Unreath, Chas
Devlin, Henry	Lanncefield, Wm	
Day, Orlando	Lockwood, A	Wet, J B
Donaldson, Wm G	Linder, Jacob	Van Horn, E S
Dodson, B D		Venner, Louis
Dowell, W F	Mayer, Dr B	
Driver, Rev I D	McDonald, Capt	Welch, A
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Everson & Middleton	McKinney, Owen	Webber, John C
	McLeon, A J	Webster, A
Fall, John	McNault, Wm	Whitford, H H
Faser, Hector	McGovern, Chas	Wolf, J M
Fallows, S L	Morgan, John	Wiuans, Saml
French, Lane	Murray, Jas	Williams, Peter
	Mollhallen, E	Williams, John H
Gray, John	Musgrove, W H	Wood, A J
Grierson, Robt	Mulligan, Robt	
		Young, Jas D

REGISTERED LETTERS.

Horner, Matthew	Amidon, G W
	L. H. WAKEFIELD, P. M.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

FRIDAY EVENING, Aug. 9, 1872.

Gold in New York to-day, 111¼.

Portland Legal Tender rates, 89½@ buying; 97½ selling.

The Yield of Wheat.

From the *Farmer* (Salem) we have this intelligence:

The farmers who are hauling their wheat to market report that the yield for the present harvest runs from 25 to 37 bushels per acre for fall wheat, and averages better than in 1871. The spring-sown grain yields less, but is still better than last year. The last rain came in time to perfect the berry and greatly increase the aggregate yield.

Advices from Linn county are not so favorable. The Albany *Register* says:

From a gentleman living near Brownsville we learn that the oat and wheat crop will not yield as largely as at first thought. His opinion is that in the immediate vicinity of Brownsville the average yield of wheat will not much overrun 19 bushels per acre.

The St. Louis *Democrat* of July 30th, in an article on wheat, says:

Many of our dealers in grain are disposed to believe that prices are now ruling at their minimum for the crop year which will end in June, 1873, and soon now forward choice samples of winter wheat will steadily advance. It is asserted that the situation of affairs this season is nearly precisely the same as prevailed from July, 1865, to June 30, 1866; that, added to a partial failure of the crop of winter wheat during that year, the same condition of wet weather was experienced during the summer of 1865, and that, therefore, the prices of choice winter wheat which prevailed then must be expected as likely to rule from now forward.

The *Democrat*, however, reviews the situation, and thinks the expectation of high prices without foundation.

Real Estate Transactions.

FRIDAY, August 9, 1872.

L. M. Parrish and wife to Fred. Wilson, a piece of land containing 20¾ acres—$1,000.

Markets

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, August 9.—Flour—Sale of 700 bbls Starr's extra and 500 bbls Buckeye extra at current rates. Extra, $5 50@$7 75.

Wheat—The advance in Liverpool has found sympathy in New York and San Francisco. Sale of 1,000 tons since last report at $1 60—the market closing strong at that figure for desirable lots.

Barley—Sale of 1,200 sks coast at $1 07½; 1,000 sks bay, $1 10@1 12.

Oats—Sale of 200 sks fair at $1 95, and 200 sks good at $1 95.

Hay—$8 to $15 ₱ ton.

Potatoes—Market steady at $1 50@1 70 ₱ 100 lbs for all kinds.

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BUILDING MATERIAL—Local demand dull at prices ranging, for rough lumber, $12@14; dressed, $22@30; flooring, $24@28; lath, $3 per M; shingles, $2 75; Eastern hardwood, 17½¢ per foot.

BROOMS—Common, $2@5 ₱ dozen; extra, $4 to 6.

CANNED GOODS—Oysters $1 50@2 25; Jams and Jellies, $4 to 7 ₱ box; Los Angeles Honey, $4 50; Pineapples, $5 75; Raspberries, $4 75; Blackberries $4 or; Pine Apple, $3 50; Green Gages, $3 75@4; Peaches, $4 25@4 50; Pie Fruit, $3@3 50; Green Peas, $2 50; Green Beans, $3 50; Lobsters, $3 50@3 75; Clams, $4; Green Corn, $3@3 50; Tomatoes, $3 75.

COFFEE—Market well sustained at the full range of prices. Costa Rica and Guatemala, 21½@; Java and Mocha, 24@27½; Java, 27 @28c; Costa Rica and Costa Rica Ground Java, 27½@; Chutries, 25c; Phoenix Prize, 22½@25c.

CANDLES—We quote market firm at 17@22c, full weight. Light weight 18c.

CIDER—N. Y., Ac—New Jersey, $8; Ac—$4 50; Choice Extra, $5; Fancy Cooper, $5 50; Choice Cider, $2 75; Sour Cider, $2 75; Sweet Cider, $3 75.

BRICK—Quotable in jobbing lots for Alum, bbls, 6c; Borax, ——; Blue Vitriol, 12½@15c; Potash crystals, 12½@——; Soda, $2 25; Rosin, $7@8; Saltpetre, kegs, 18@20c; ——, 10@——.

DRY GOODS—Standard drills, 10½@11c; second, 10c; Sheeting, A light, 11½c; medium, 12½c; standard, 14c; 16½c; heavy, 17c; Bleached Sheeting, 7-8 @9½c; do, 4-4, 12½@13c; do, 5-4, 14½@15c; Cotton sheets, 16c; do, 4-4, 12½@13c; Cotton sheets, 14c; do, linen sheeting, 22@25c; cambrics, 10c; Cotton flannel, bleached, 18c; do, brown, 12½@13c; Cottonades, light, 20@25c; do, heavy, 28@30c; Denims, 20@21c; Hickory stripes, 18@20c; Standard ginghams, 16c; Domestic do, 9c; Burleys, 12@13c; Turkey red, 14½@15c; do, 4-4, 16@18c; Bear duck, 24c; Table linen, damask, brown, 35@40c; damask bleached, 50@51. Dyes linen, 30@35c; Sacks, seamless, 35@40c; 4-4 spaces, black, 20@25c. Waterproof, $1 10@1 25. Cloth 10@14c. Ginghams—Domestic, 10@13c; Scotch, 22@25c. Lawns, 16@22c. Percales, 20@25c.

FRUITS, dried and PRESERVES—Apples, 7½@8c; packed, 8½@9c; Peaches, Halves; Hungarian Prunes, 14c; Plums, pitless, 20@22c; Raisins, new crop, in box, $4 50; hf do, $2 50, quarter $c, eighth boxes, $7. Zante Currants, 14c; Oregon do, 10@12c; Citron, 35@40c.

FISH—Cod, Pacific, 6½@——; Eastern, 10c; Mackerel, No 1, $8 @$10; No 2, $6 50; No 3, $4 50; Halibut, No. 1, $3 50; do No 2, $2 75; Salmon, pickled, extra, brands, hf bbl, $5@6 00; $9@10; common brands, hf bbls, $4 00@4 75; bbls, $8 50@7 50. Canned spiced, fresh, 2-lb cans, $3 00 per doz; 1-lb, $2 25. Salmon, spiced, 3 lbs, $5.

LIQUORS—Market quotable for Bourbon whisky $2 50@5 00; Rye po, $2 50@4; Domes do, $1 50@2. Brandy—French brands, $4@12; American mixed, $2@4. Gin mm, $1 50@2. Gin—Holland, $4 50@5; Old Tom, $2@3 $l. Rum—Penn, $3 50@5; Santa Cruz, $3 50@4 50, New England, $2@2 50.

METAL—Market for jobbing lots for Iron—Scotch and English pig reported in San Francisco, $35; refined bar, 3 ₱ lb, 6½c; Sheet 14 to 20, 9½c; do 24 to 27, 10c. Copper—Sheathing, ₱ lb, 42c; do Yellow, 40c; do, bronzed finish, 43c; do old, 16c. Tin plates—Plates charcoal, IX per box, $10 to; do IC char, $12 50; Roofing Plates, $12; Banca Tin slabs ₱ lb, 62½c. Steel—English cast steel ₱ lb, 24c. Spelter—Slabs ₱ lb 5c; Sheet Iron, Pipe 12, bar 12@12½c. Zinc—Sheets ₱ lb 14c. Babbit metal, 30@40. Quicksilver, 95c. Pressed ware has advanced 5@10c.

NAILS—Quotable 10 ad cod per Keg, $7; 8d 25c per keg advance; 6d, 50c per keg advance; 4d and 5d, 75c per keg advance; clinch spikes, 50c per keg advance on base price of 10d; finco, 25c per keg advance on same size of common nails; finishing and bradheads, 50c per keg advance on same size of common nails; box nails 50c per keg advance on same size common nails.

NUTS—Almonds, 25@30c; Brazil, 20c; Filberts, 20c; Hickory, 20c; Peanut, 10c; Pecan, 28c; Walnuts, 18c.

OILS—We quote our market in jobbing lots for Devoe's, 45@48c; Downer's, 62½@65c; Gasfight, 42½@45c; China Nut, 92½@97c; Lard, in casks, extra, $1 28; No 1, $1 10; in barrels, extra, $1 10; No. 1, $1; Castor, $1 75@1 80; Machine, 85@$1 15. Linseed, $1 15@1 20 for Salem.

OREGON WOOLEN GOODS—We quote agents' rates as follows (the first figure per bale, last for less). For Blankets (Family) A, $16; B, $14 50; C, $12 50; E, $11 25; F, $10 00; G, $9 50; other descriptions 5 pr grey, $5 50@6 75; 3 pt 3 ft 60@67 75, 3 pt black border Grey, $9 25@9 50; 4 pt Witney, $12@12 25; 4 pt, $14 50@15 50; 4 pt scarlet, $14 75@16; 3 pt, $10 50@10 75; 4 pt Green, $11 50@11 75; 5 pt, $9@9 25; 4 pt Blue, $11 50@11 75; 5 pt, $8@8 25; No. 2 Indian, $15. Flannel Clothing for 10 dozen (first figures for regular and last for extra sizes): Grey Overshirts, $22@23 ₱ doz; Grey Undershirts, $30; White Undershirting, $22@25; 60; Scarlet Undershirting, $25 50@27 50; Fancy Cashmere Overshirts, extra size, $30 ₱ doz; Fancy Check Overshirts, $25@28. Flannels, per yard, blue mixed Twilled, 55@65c; Scarlet, 60@70c; White, 55@65. Fancy Plaid, 65c; plain colored, 45@50c; plain checked, 67½c. Heavy Coats, per yard plain, $2 50; fancy, $2 75. Cloths, per yard Hard Times, $1 25; Cassimeres, 125@150; Doeskin, $1 37½@1 87½; Tweed, $1 10@1 25; Yarns, $1 50@2.

PAINTS—We quote market in jobbing lots for Averill's chemical pure gal, $2 75; Atlantic, 13½@14; Bartlett, 12@13; North River, 11; Greenback, 10½; French zinc white, 18; Devoe's zinc white, 12, lampblack, Kidy's, 50@60c, Germantown, 45@50c; ordinary, 35@40c. Venetian red, 6@8; Havre Ochre, 6@7; red lead, 12½@13; Litharge, 15@14, fire proof, 54@5 cents.

RICE—China, 7½@8c; Patna, 9c; Island, 10c; Carolina, 12½c.

ROPE—Market firm at 15c ₱ lb in jobbing lots.

SALT—Ground Rock, $45@50 ₱ ton; Carmen Island, $20@22½; Liverpool coarse, $22; fine, $30@35 00.

SALERATUS—Barton's, 8½c; Dunnelly's, 8½@9c; Rabbitt's, 10½@11c.

SPICES—Pepper and Allspice, in grain 22c; Cinnamon 48@50; Cloves, 35@30c; Nutmeg, $1 20@1 25. Spices in glass: Pepper, Ginger and Allspice, $1 50 ₱ doz; Cinnamon, $2; Mustard, $1 50.

SUGARS—The market is very firm for Island at 8½@11½c; Yellow and Golden C, in bbls, 12@13½c; in hlf bbls ½c higher; Crushed, 14c in bbls; hlf bbls 14½c; Powdered 13½@14½c.

SOAP—Quotable firm for B. Irving & Co's in jobbing lots at 7@7½c.

SYRUP—A fair demand exists at prices ranging from, in kegs, 72½@75c; hf bbls, 72½c; bbls, 67½c.

STARCH—The agents' rates, with the usual discount off to the trade are for Pearl, 9½c; pure, 12½ boxes 10½c; 1-lb papers, 11½c; silver gloss, 6-lb boxes, 12½c; 1-lb papers, 13½c; corn, 7½ papers, 9½c.

TEAS—Stocks on hand good, with demand dull at the following ranges: young hyson, 90c@$1 30 ₱ lb; black, 60@90c per lb; Japan, in papers, 60@85c ₱ lb; lacquered box, 65c to 80c.

TURPENTINE—Quotable at $1 15@1 20 ₱ gal.

YEAST POWDERS—Preston & Merrill, 60@2 80; Rumford's, $2 50@2 50; Jones' $2 50@2; Donnelly's, $2 1.

Retail Family Market.

The following are the prices at which the principal articles of consumption are held by our Retail Dealers:

GREEN FRUITS.	₱ lb.	CANNED Goods	₱ doz.
Oranges, per doz.	75@1 00	Oysters, 2-lb cans.	3 75@4 00
Limes, per doz.	25c	do 1-lb cans.	2 50@3 00
Cocoanuts, each.	12	Lobsters, 2-lb cans.	3 75@4 50
Cals. Grapes, ₱ lb	25	do 1-lb cans.	2 50@3 00
Cranberries, ₱ gal	60c	Sardines, quarters.	3 00@3 50
Lemons, per doz.	1 00@1 25	do halves.	3 75@4 00
Peaches, ₱ lb.	12c	Clams.	2 25@4 00
Plums, ₱ lb.	6c	Green corn, 2-lb cans	2 00@2 50
DRIED FRUIT.	₱ lb.	" Peas, 2-lb cans	2 75@3 25
Figs, Cal.	20	" Beans, 2-lb cans	2 50@3 00
Figs, Asia Min. new.	50@37	Tomatoes, 2-lb cans	2 75@3 25
Figs, old.	20@25	Peaches, 2½ lb cans	4 00@4 50
Apples.	10	Pine apples, 2-lb cans	4 00@4 50
Plums, pitless.	20@22	Strawberries, "	4 50@5 00
Prunes, Ger. & French.	20@25	Blackberries, "	4 00@5 00
Pears.	8@10	Apricots, 2-lb cans.	3 50@4 00
GROCERIES.	₱ lb.	Jellies, in tins.	2 00@2 50
Coffee, ground	30@37	Jams, in tins.	2 00@2 00
do green C. R.	22@25	EATABLES, etc.	₱ doz. pts. qts.
do " Rio.	22@25	Worcester Sauce.	3 00@4 00
do " Java.	28@30	Catsup, Tomato.	2 50@3 00
do Mocha.	30	do Mushroom.	3 00@4 00
Sugar, crushed.	16	Capers.	4 00@5 00
do pulverized.	16	Curry Powders.	5 00@6 00
do granulated.	15	Mustard, French.	3 00@4 00
do Yellow.	14	do Cal.	2 50@3 00
do Island No. 1.	13@14	Pickles, English.	4 00@5 00
do " No. 2.	9@10	NUTS.	₱ lb.
Milk, condensed.	37	Almonds.	40@50
Candles, adamantine.	20@25	Walnuts.	18@20
do Paradine.	33@37	Brazil.	20@20
do Sperm.	40@50	Filberts.	20@25
Oil, Kerosene ₱ gal.	50@62	Peanuts.	10@20
Syrup, Golden, ₱ gal.	$1 00	Pecan.	25@30
Tea—	₱ lb.	Chestnuts.	25@37
Gunpowder.	$1 25@1 50	Hickory.	25
Imperial.	1 25@1 50	GAME.	₱ pair.
Young Hyson.	1 00@1 25	Ducks.	62½ 75
Hyson.	1 00@1 25	Geese.	1 50
Eng. Breakfast.	90@1 25	Swan.	2 00
Japan.	75@ 90	Brant.	75
PROVISIONS, ETC.	₱ lb.	Pheasants.	1 00
Butter—		Venison, ₱ lb.	10@ 12½
Fancy Dairy.	37@45	FISH.	₱ lb.
Good.	32@36	Pacific Cod.	8@10
Ordinary.	25@30	Sturgeon.	12½
Cooking.	20	Salmon.	6@ 12½
Cheese, California.	20	Dessicated Cod.	20
do Eastern.	25	Mackerel, ₱ kit.	2 50@3 00
do Oregon.	25	Fresh Oysters ₱ 100	75
Hams, country.	15	VEGETABLES.	₱ lb.
do city.	20@22	Green Peas.	5
do Sugar-cured.	20@25	Green Beans.	5
Shoulders.	11@13	Tomatoes.	5
Bacon, Clear Sides.	15@18	Squash.	5
do Breakfast.	16@17	Beets.	3
Lard—		Onions.	4
Pure Leaf, in tins.	16@18	Carrots.	3
Good, in tins.	15	Turnips.	2
In bulk.	15	Garlic.	12
Honey, Yellow Comb	25	Potatoes, new, ₱ lb	2½
do White.	37	Celery, ₱ doz.	25@1 00
Eggs, per doz.	30	Cabbage, ₱ do.	75@1 00
		Cauliflower ₱ doz.	1 50
		MEATS.	₱ lb.
		Beef.	10@12
		do Choice cuts.	16@25
		Mutton.	12@16
		do choice cuts.	20
		Veal.	12@20
		Pork.	12@15
		do choice cuts.	20

San Francisco Stock Market.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

		SAN FRANCISCO,	August 8.
Alpha	6¾	Independent	1½
Alpe	4½	Jacket	1½
Belcher	11?	Julia	6½
Belle Isle	3	Justice	1½
Bowery	2½	Kentuck	1½
Buckeye	2½	Kinkerbocker	1½
Caledonia	64	Mahogany	5½
Chariot	12½	Mt Jefferson	2½
Choller	102	Nevada	19½
Creole	5	Norcross	8½
Consolidated Virginia	36½	Ophir	50
Curry	89	Overman	8½
Daney	1½	Phoenix	4½
Elmore	20	Pioche	20½
Ely	14?	Point	14?½
Eureka	16½	Savage	16½
Eureka consolidated	2?	Seg. Belcher	12?½
Excelsior	14	Spring Valley W. Co	80
Exchequer	23	South Charlot	3½
Flag	1?½	Succor	8½
Hunt	4	Valley	10
Imperial	14½	Virtue	10

NATIONAL REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For President:
ULYSSES S. GRANT,
Of Illinois.

For Vice President:
HENRY WILSON,
Of Massachusetts.

For Presidential Electors;
W. D. HARE,
J. H. HALLY,
A. B. MEACHAM,
Of Union.

Election, Tuesday, Nov. 5, 1872.

NATIONAL REPUBLICAN PLATFORM

ADOPTED BY THE NATIONAL CONVENTION ASSEMBLED IN THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA, JUNE 5, 1872.

The Republican Party of the United States, assembled in National Convention in the City of Philadelphia on the 5th and 6th days of June, 1872, submits to the people the following declaration of principles, and appeals to them for their support in the pending political campaign:

1. During the eight years which have passed since the Republican party came into power, four years of which were filled with the gigantic struggle for the existence of the Union, it has been subjected to unprecedented responsibilities, and has fully discharged them to the satisfaction of the country. Under its administration the civil service of the government has been reformed, the system of taxation has been changed from a war to a peace footing, so as to relieve the people from unnecessary burdens, and vet the credit of the government has been greatly improved, the currency has been brought to a specie standard, and the entire debt of the nation, funded and unfunded, has been reduced more than one hundred millions of dollars during the last two years, while the rate of interest has been reduced from six to five and in many cases to four per cent. Despite the opposition of the Democratic party, the Republican Congress has steadily resisted all efforts to restore the system of human slavery or its equivalent, and has carried out the constitutional amendments in letter and spirit, so that every trace of human slavery has disappeared from the limits of the republic, and the integrity of the nation and the equality of all citizens before the law are now fully recognized. Exhibiting unparalleled magnanimity, it has generously pardoned the political offenses and has welcomed all who proved their loyalty by obeying the laws and dealing justly with their neighbors. It has initiated a new policy toward the Indians, by which the cruel and costly wars that have heretofore existed in the conduct of that service have been successfully terminated, and large tracts have been opened to civilization, and the Indians have been protected and encouraged, and in full acknowledgment of the rights of naturalized citizens have been secured from European powers. In the form of National currency, it has provided for the National debt, and established under the most extraordinary difficulties the best and most economical system of banking and currency the world has ever known, by which the interests of the debtor and creditor class have been carefully guarded, and the National credit greatly improved. The currency has been carefully collected and honestly applied. Despite the annual large reductions from the rate of taxation, the public debt has been reduced during the Republican Presidency at the rate of $100,000,000 per year. A great financial crisis has been averted, and peace and plenty prevail throughout the land. Our foreign relations have been prudently and honorably conducted, and the honor and power of the Nation kept on a high position throughout the world. This glorious record of the past is the party's best pledge for the future, and we believe that the people will not entrust the government to any party or combination of men composed of those who clearly have resisted every step in this beneficial progress.

2. Complete liberty and equality in the enjoyment of all civil, political and public rights should be established and effectively maintained throughout the Union by efficient and appropriate State and Federal legislation. No interpretation of the Constitution should admit any discrimination in respect to citizens by reason of race, creed, color, or previous condition of servitude.

3. The recent amendments to the National Constitution should be cordially sustained because they are right, and not merely introduced as new tests, and should be carried out according to the obvious intent of their framers. Any legislation, the enforcement of which can be only partial and only to the party that secures it, nullifies the amendments.

4. The National Government should seek to maintain an honorable peace with all nations, protecting its citizens everywhere, and sympathizing with all peoples who strive for greater liberty.

5. Any system of civil service under which the subordinate positions of the Government are considered rewards for mere party zeal, is fatally demoralizing, and we therefore favor a reform of the system, by a law which shall abolish the evils of patronage and make honesty, efficiency and fidelity the essential qualifications for public position, without practically creating a lifetenure of office.

6. We are opposed to further grants of public lands to corporations and monopolists, and demand that the National domain be set apart for free settlement by the people.

7. The annual revenue, after paying current debts, should furnish a moderate margin for the reduction of the principal of the public debt, and a part of the surplus may be devoted from a tax on tobacco and liquors, to be raised by duties on imported goods, which should be adjusted so as to encourage remunerative wages to laborers, and to promote the industries and enterprises of both the mechanic and the whole country.

8. We hold in undying honor the soldiers and sailors whose valor saved the Union. Their pensions are a sacred debt of the nation, and the widows and orphans of those who died for the country are entitled to the care of a generous and grateful people. We favor such additional legislation as will extend the bounty of the Government to all our soldiers and sailors who were honorably discharged, and who in the line of duty became disabled, without regard to length of service or the cause of such disability.

9. The doctrine of Great Britain and other European powers concerning allegiance, —— a subject always a subject, has just been exploded by the general acceptance of the doctrine maintained by this country, and enforced by the late war for the Union, which has firmly established the equal citizenship of all races everywhere. Exhibiting unparalleled magnanimity, it has generously pardoned the political offenses and has welcomed all who proved their loyalty by obeying the laws and dealing justly with their neighbors. It has initiated a new policy toward the Indians, by which the cruel and costly wars that have heretofore existed in the conduct of that service have been successfully terminated, and large tracts have been opened to civilization, and the Indians have been protected and encouraged, and in full acknowledgment of the rights of naturalized citizens have been secured from European powers. In the form of National currency, it has provided for the National debt, and established under the most extraordinary difficulties the best and most economical system of banking and currency the world has ever known, by which the interests of the debtor and creditor class have been carefully guarded, and the National credit greatly improved. The currency has been carefully collected and honestly applied. Despite the annual large reductions from the rate of taxation, the public debt has been reduced during the Republican Presidency at the rate of $100,000,000 per year. A great financial crisis has been averted, and peace and plenty prevail throughout the land. Our foreign relations have been prudently and honorably conducted, and the honor and power of the Nation kept on a high position throughout the world. This glorious record of the past is the party's best pledge for the future, and we believe that the people will not entrust the government to any party or combination of men composed of those who clearly have resisted every step in this beneficial progress.

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